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Allowable Subject Matter

This communication is in response to applicant's amendment which is filed September 3, 2008.

The proposed amendment to the Specification, filed 9/3/2008, has been entered and made of record of application of Bonalle et al. for a "systems and methods for providing a RF transaction device operable to store multiple distinct calling card accounts".

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Nam V Nguyen whose telephone number is 571-272-3061. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri, 8:00AM - 5:00PM.

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